

## LEFT HAPPY HOME AND WANDERED OFF

Sad Fate of Family Who Were  
Blessed With Happiness.

### FATHER LEFT VERY SUDDENLY

Just a Few Days Prior to His Young  
Daughter's Marriage He Left Home,  
Stating to His Wife He Would Soon  
Return—A Mysterious Case.

Leaving a tender, affectionate wife  
and a dear daughter and son, J. W.  
Johnson, who for the past year has re-  
sided with his family in this city, is  
gone, and no one knows where to lo-  
cate him. His good wife is complete-  
ly distracted over his long absence and  
failure to hear from him, and cannot  
understand his silence. She fears he  
has been dealt with foully.

Mr. Johnson left home a week ago  
last Saturday, which was December 31  
of last year. His good wife says he left  
the house about 11 o'clock at night,  
stating that he was going out for a  
while, but giving no further informa-  
tion. As the night grew older she be-  
came more anxious and impatient, and  
when the sun peeped over the hillsides  
she was in an almost hysterical mood,  
there being no news of the missing  
husband and father. Not having been  
accustomed for some time to this man-  
ner, Mrs. Johnson thought it very  
strange, as he left the warm fireside,  
after an affectionate kiss, on the best  
of terms. She did not know what his  
intention was in leaving her under  
these peculiar circumstances, at this  
hour of the night, but did not ask him,  
thinking he would return in a short  
time. She thought possibly he might  
have overlooked some Christmas pres-  
ents for herself and children up town.

There was to have been a wedding  
at the home of the Johnsons soon,  
their charming daughter, Miss Jessie,  
about fifteen years of age and as pretty  
as a picture, having become betrothed  
to Jack Long, a promising young man  
of this city. The departure of Mr.  
Johnson under these circumstances  
was particularly more puzzling, and  
the wife feels that her husband must  
have become suddenly non compos  
mentis, or that foul play was a prin-  
cipal factor in the game. The young  
daughter was to have been married at  
home, but owing to the circumstances  
of her father's peculiar leaves-taking,  
she was deeply grieved, and the home  
was too sad for her. She was conse-  
quently married at the home of Mr.  
and Mrs. Riles, East Gainesville, no-  
tice of which appeared in The Sun.

### LAKE BUTLER HAPPENINGS.

A Bunch of Live News From That  
Busy Little City.

Lake Butler, January 3.—Tate  
Powell and wife left Monday for  
Macclenny, where Mr. Powell will  
engage in the newspaper business,  
having leased The Macclenny Stand-  
ard, the only paper in Baker county.  
It is the wishes of Mr. Powell's many  
Lake Butler friends that he will meet  
with much success in his new home.

School started up Monday with a  
large attendance. Prof. Johnson pre-  
dicts a larger enrollment than before  
the holidays.

Wm. Johnson, who has been spend-  
ing the holidays with relatives in Lake  
Butler, departed for Monticello Sun-  
day and took charge of his school on  
Monday.

L. A. Duncan, one of Lake Butler's  
most prominent business men, made a  
visit to Starke Monday.

Rance Andrews, a prominent cotton  
buyer from Lake Butler, was trans-  
acting business in Starke Monday.

Mrs. Avery G. Powell and daughter,  
Maude-Ethel, will leave for Gaines-  
ville Thursday, where Mrs. Powell will  
join her husband who is working for  
The Sun at that place.

Sidney Rivers and wife will shortly  
move to Dade City, where Mr. Rivers  
will engage in truck farming.

Madison Manning, who is working in  
Wauchula, spent New Year's with rela-  
tives in Lake Butler.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs.  
J. E. Watson died Saturday night and  
was buried Sunday. The little one  
was severely burned Thursday, from  
which injuries she died.

Attorney Removed from Office.

Washington, Jan. 3.—President  
Roosevelt today directed the removal  
from office of John H. Hall, United  
States district attorney for Oregon. Mr.  
Hall has been prosecuting officer of  
the government in the land fraud cases  
and the removal is made in connection  
with them.

## PROMINENT CITIZEN OF MINNEAPOLIS

Claims Vinol Contains One Hundred  
Per Cent More Curative Value  
Than Any Other Medicine.

Mr. W. M. Johnson, our local drug-  
gist, says: "Such testimony as the  
following is pouring in from our best  
class of citizens all over the country  
and is positive proof that Vinol is a  
splendid medicine and possesses all  
the curative, body-building and  
strength-creating properties which we  
claim for it."

Mr. Theo. J. Birgelen of Minneap-  
olis, Minn., one of the foremost citi-  
zens of this great Western city, writes:  
"I always stand ready to recommend  
your cod liver oil preparation, Vinol,  
as I have found from my own experi-  
ence that it does 100 per cent more  
good than any other medicine I have  
ever tried. For five years we have



THEO. J. BIRGELEN.

used Vinol in our family, and each  
succeeding year I feel like praising it  
more and more as the greatest curative  
and strength-creating tonic in the  
world."

Mr. Johnson says: "Vinol is not a  
patent medicine. Everything in it is  
printed on the bottle. It contains in  
a concentrated form all the medicinal  
elements of cod liver oil actually taken  
from fresh cods' livers, but without a  
drop of oil or grease to upset the stom-  
ach and retard its work. We have  
never sold anything in our store equal  
to Vinol to build up the run down, tired  
and debilitated, and give renewed  
strength and vitality to the weak and  
aged, or to cure chronic coughs, colds,  
bronchitis, or incipient consumption.  
We ask the people of Gainesville to  
try Vinol on our guarantee to return  
money if it fails." W. M. Johnson,  
druggist.

### HELEN KELLAR VISITS MOTHER.

Famous Graduate of Harvard is Now  
in Alabama.

Montgomery, Ala., Jan. 3.—Miss  
Helen Kellar, the wonderfully afflicted  
young girl, is at her home in Alabama  
for the first time since 1895, when she  
left to enter school. She is with her  
mother at Florence, Ala., and will like-  
ly be there for several days.

She will be asked to deliver a talk  
at the celebration of the eightieth an-  
niversary of the Presbyterian church  
in Tusculum this week, and it is re-  
ported she will agree to it.

Miss Kellar is the daughter of the  
late Arthur Kellar, at one time United  
States marshal for the northern dis-  
trict of Alabama, and owner and editor  
of the North Alabamian, at Tusculum,  
now run by Frank N. Julian and  
associates.

He was one of the leading men of  
the state in his time, and his daugh-  
ter is welcomed to Alabama again for  
her own sake and for that of her dead  
father as well.

### NEGRO SHOOT TWO WHITE MEN.

Kills Policeman and Wounds Officer's  
Assistant.

Charlotte, N. C., Jan. 3.—Rural Po-  
liceman S. E. Cole, of Belmont Park,  
a suburb of this city, was shot and  
killed by a negro named Will Springs,  
near a negro church.

H. R. Nabors, a machinist and Cole's  
son-in-law, was shot, but the extent  
of his injuries is not yet known. The  
negro became engaged in a quarrel  
with another negro who went for the  
officer. The latter drew his pistol and  
ordered the negro's hands up. Springs  
put up one hand and with the other  
drew his pistol and fired on Nabors,  
who fell. He then shot Cole through  
the neck. The officer died in three  
minutes. Nabors regained conscious-  
ness in a few moments and fired on the  
negro, who fell and then regained his  
feet and escaped.

A posse with bloodhounds is in pur-  
suit and the negro's early capture is  
expected.

Always Remember the Full Name  
**Laxative Bromo Quinine**  
Cures a Cold in One Day, Croup in 2 Days

### THROUGH CAR LINE.

Through Pullman Car Line to be Op-  
erated Port Tampa to New York.

Effective with first car south-bound  
leaving Jersey City Sunday, Novem-  
ber 27th, and first car north-bound  
leaving Port Tampa Tuesday, Novem-  
ber 29th, 1904, the present Jersey  
City-Jacksonville Pullman drawing  
room sleeping car now handled on  
Southern Railway trains Nos. 33 and  
34, will be extended and become a  
Port Tampa and Jersey City Pullman  
drawing room sleeping car line, op-  
erating over the Atlantic Coast Line to  
Jacksonville, Southern Railway to  
Washington and Pennsylvania rail-  
road to Jersey City.

This will add materially to the al-  
ready magnificent train service be-  
tween Florida and the great East now  
operated by these three great railroad  
systems.

Passengers arriving from Havana  
and Key West have but to transfer  
from boat to sleeping car, which will  
land them in Washington, Baltimore,  
Philadelphia or New York without  
change. Likewise, passengers from  
Tampa and local stations on the At-  
lantic Coast Line between Port Tampa  
and Jacksonville, can take passage in  
this through Pullman car for points  
East going via Columbia, Charlotte,  
Greensboro, Danville, Lynchburg and  
Washington.

### ADVOCATES WHIPPING POST.

District Grand Jury Acts on Roose-  
velt's Recommendation.

Washington, Jan. 3.—The establish-  
ment of a whipping post here for the  
punishment of wife-beaters has been  
submitted to the chief justice of the  
District of Columbia supreme  
court by the grand jury. Two jurors  
joined in a minority report opposing  
the recommendations.

The action of the grand jury was  
based on President Roosevelt's indorse-  
ment of the whipping post for wife-  
beaters in his annual message to con-  
gress. The majority report follows:

"The desirability of establishing a  
whipping post as a means of punish-  
ment for wife-beaters and petty lar-  
ceny offenses has been investigated  
by this body, and a majority of the  
members are of the opinion that it  
would prove very effective in decreas-  
ing the number of these reprehensible  
crimes."

The two dissenting jurors say: "We  
do not believe in this as a corrective  
measure."

### Rev. Carlisle P. B. Martin, L. L. D.,

Of Waverley, Texas, writes: "Of a  
morning, when first arising, I often  
find a troublesome collection of  
phlegm, which produces a cough, and  
is very hard to dislodge; but a small  
quantity of Ballard's Horehound Syrup  
will at once dislodge it, and the trouble  
is over. I know of no medicine that is  
equal to it, and it is so pleasant to  
take. I can most cordially recommend  
it to all persons needing a medicine  
for throat or lung trouble." 25c, 50c  
and \$1.00. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

### HURT DURING RUNAWAY.

D. T. Tompkins, Well Known Manufac-  
turer, Hurling from Vehicle.

Charlotte, N. C., Jan. 3.—D. A.  
Tompkins, the well known cotton manu-  
facturer of this city, was seriously in-  
jured in a runaway accident early this  
morning.

The vehicle in which he was riding  
was hurled against a street sprinkler  
standing on the side of the street, and  
when picked up by a policeman a min-  
ute or two later. Mr. Tompkins was  
unconscious.

He was removed to his hotel, where  
it was found that he had sustained  
several severe bruises about the head  
and chest but no broken bones.

He regained consciousness in a short  
time, and while suffering considerably  
he will recover.

### What's in a Name.

"Intestinal indigestion" is the new  
name for a multitude of stomach  
troubles. It is the recognized cause of  
heart disease, kidney troubles, consti-  
pation, flatulency, inflammation of  
the bladder, neuralgia, headaches, diz-  
ziness, appendicitis and rheumatism.  
Green's August Flower goes right af-  
ter intestinal indigestion and quickly  
clears it out of the intestinal tract,  
speedily curing any or all of the ail-  
ments mentioned. Trial bottle 25c.  
Big bottle, 75c. At W. M. Johnson's.

### Fish Law Unconstitutional.

Charleston, S. C., Jan. 2.—In the  
United States circuit court Judge  
Brawley filed an opinion and order de-  
claring unconstitutional the law re-  
cently passed by the South Carolina  
legislature prohibiting the shipment or  
transportation of dead fish beyond the  
limits of the state.

## G. W. HYDE

"THE BIG STORE."

## To Please a Woman

In the matter of a Holiday Gift is a mighty easy matter in  
this store. Be she wife, sister, daughter or friend, we can sell  
you what she will be happy to have.

## Now is the Season.

We think just before New Year's a good time to remind you of  
our elegant line of Dry Goods, Dress Goods, Novelties, Laces  
and Embroideries—in fact everything usually carried for the  
ladies in an up-to-date Dry Goods store. We've never had  
such an attractive showing, and it should interest every lover  
of the beautiful in this town.

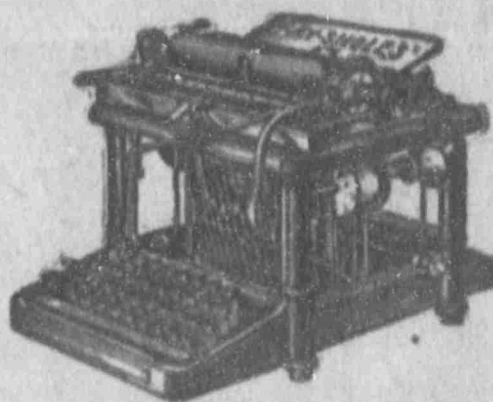
## There's a Reason

Why you should buy the Shoes carried in our stock. Hun-  
dreds of people—men, women and children—are wearing  
them. Why not you?

It's a Pleasure for Our Clerks to Show Goods.

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8 35			Kirkwood			5 05
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8 55			Flowerden			4 55
9 05			Wachoochee			4 45
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